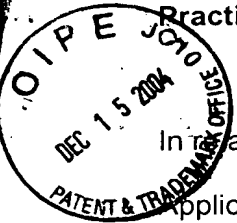


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PATENT



Practitioner's Docket No. 1001-036C1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Abraham Kassa, Renee Bradley

Application No.: 10/659,073

Group No.: 3676

Filed: 09/10/2003

Examiner: Enoch E. Peavey

For: PAINTABLE SEAL SYSTEM

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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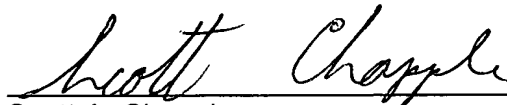
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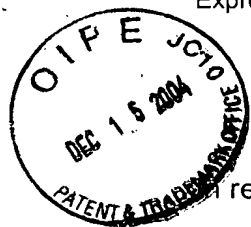
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed September 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks.

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